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## **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

1. (Currently Amended) A heat exchanging system of a ventilating device

comprising:

a heat exchanging housing communicating with an outdoor air passage and an indoor air

<del>passage;</del>

a housing having an outdoor air passage and an indoor air passage;

a rotational shaft rotatably supported at one side of the case of a ventilating device by the

housing, the shaft being rotatable about an axis which is substantially perpendicular to a

direction of an air flow flowing in at least one of the outdoor air passage and the indoor air

passage; and

a plurality of heat exchanging elements mounted at an outer circumferential surface of

the rotational shaft-at regular intervals, and the heat exchanging elements being rotatable on the

shaft by the air flow to exchange heat between air in the outdoor air passage and air in the indoor

air passageperforming a heat exchanging operation of outdoor air and indoor air while being

rotated by a blow force of outdoor air passing the outdoor air passage and a blow force of indoor

air passing the indoor air passage.

2. (Currently Amended) The ventilating device heat exchanging system of claim 1,

wherein a hub is formed at an outer circumferential surface of the rotational shaft, in which an

inner surface of the heat exchanging elements is mounted.

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3. (Currently Amended) The <u>ventilating device heat exchanging system of claim 2</u>,

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wherein the heat exchanging elements are mounted at the outer circumferential surface of the

hub at regular intervals and formed with a curved surface, each of the heat exchanging elements

having substantially a same curved surface.

4. (Currently Amended) The <u>ventilating device heat exchanging system of claim 1</u>,

wherein a support rib is mounted at an outer circumferential surface of the heat exchange

exchanging elements in order to support so that the heat exchanging elements are arranged at

regular intervals.

5. (Currently Amended) The ventilating device heat exchanging system of claim 1,

wherein each of the inner side of the curved heat exchanging elements has a concave surface and

a convex surface opposite to the concave surface, wherein when the concave surface faces an

inlet of one of the outdoor air passage and the indoor air passage, the convex surface faces an

outlet of the one of the outdoor air passage and the indoor air passagefaces the direction that

outdoor air flows and the direction that indoor air flows.

6. (Currently Amended) The ventilating device heat exchanging system of claim 5,

wherein, the heat exchanging element is made of nonwaven non-woven fabric.

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7. (New) The ventilating device of claim 1, further comprising a heat exchanging

housing within the housing to communicate with the outdoor air passage and the indoor air

passage, the heat exchanging housing surrounding the heat exchanging elements.

8. (New) The ventilating device of claim 1, further comprising:

a hub on the shaft; and

a support rib along an outer circumferential surface of the heat exchanging elements, each

of the heat exchanging elements extending from the hub to the support rib.

9. (New) The ventilating device of claim 8, wherein each of the heat exchanging

elements has substantially a same curved shape.

10. (New) The ventilating device of claim 9, wherein each of the heat exchanging

elements has a concave surface and a lateral surface, a normal of the lateral surface being in

parallel with the axis of the shaft.

11. (New) The ventilating device of claim 10, wherein the air flow flows onto the

concave surface to rotate the heat exchanging elements.

12. (New) The ventilating device of claim 1, wherein each of the heat exchanging

elements has substantially a same curved shape.

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13. (New) The ventilating device of claim 12, wherein each of the heat exchanging

elements has a concave surface and a lateral surface, a normal of the lateral surface being in

parallel with the axis of the shaft.

14. (New) The ventilating device of claim 13, wherein the air flow flows onto the

concave surface to rotate the heat exchanging elements.

15. (New) The ventilating device of claim 1, wherein each of the heat exchanging

elements has a concave surface and a lateral surface, a normal of the lateral surface being in

parallel with the axis of the shaft.

16. (New) The ventilating device of claim 15, wherein the air flow flows onto the

concave surface to rotate the heat exchanging elements.

17. (New) The ventilating device of claim 1, wherein the outdoor air passage is

parallel to the indoor air passage.

18. (New) The ventilating device of claim 1, wherein the axis is perpendicular to the

direction of the air flow.